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Now, in the 1970's, there is again a tendency toward stabilization again.

The students now, in comparison to the late 1960's, are increasingly from disadvantaged backgrounds, both economically and educationally; more adult students are coming back into the system; and the number of high school students graduating is declining.

These trends are expected to continue, Leestamper said, and are having other effects.

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But unlike many states, Missouri has escaped the paralysis and massive layoffs caused by the many days of bitter cold and heavy snows.

Weather problems elsewhere have caused the greatest number of layoffs in Missouri, with 3,500 off the job at the General Motors Corp. plant in St. Louis and 2,300 more at the Ford Motor Co.'s Clayco plant near Knasas City because of a lack of parts from other weatherstruck areas.

Tom Rutherford, research chief in the state Division of Employment Security, says when all the weather-related unemployment in the state is totaled, "it really

doesn't have a great deal of impact on the labor market."

Farmers are receiving the brunt of the bitter cold and snow cover and are facing difficulties in bringing water and feed to their cattle.

"We're trucking in hay from Iowa," said Arlen Schwinke, a dairyman from Osage County. "It's costing us about \$90 a ton, and the quality is not the best in the world. We've had a lot of water lines freeze and this causes us extra work and extra problems to get water to livestock."

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In the Butler, Mo., area, Wafer said, the average residential customer will pay about \$21 more per year. In the Kirksville, Mo., area, the cost will be approximately \$16 per year.

And in the utilities' Southern District, including extreme southeast Missouri and northeast Arkansas, the average residential

customer will pay about \$17 extra per year.

The reason for Opinion 770 and 770A, according to the FPC, is "to reverse the trend of diminishing dedications of new gas supplies to the interstate market."

Formerly, interstate pipelines were only allowed to pay 52 cents per thousand cubic feet for natural gas. Producers, consequently, sold as much gas as they could to the intrastate market, where it brought up to \$2 per thousand cubic feet.

The result, of course, has been less and less natural gas for sale on the interstate market, Wafer said. "For example, for the

present supply year, we're going to be approximately five billion cubic feet of gas short of our needs. Residential customers will have enough gas this winter, but our industries are going to be hurt.

"We certainly hope that Opinion 770 and 770A does what the Federal Power Commission intends, and that more natural gas flows into the interstate market, since we are totally dependent on it for our supplies."

Prosecutor is denied an assistant

BLOOMFIELD — A request by Stoddard County Prosecuting Attorney Phil Ayers for an assistant prosecutor was denied Monday by the Stoddard County Court.

Ayers was in attendance at the court session Monday morning, telling the court that the assistant prosecutor was needed because of his heavy workload.

If approved, the assistant prosecutor position would have been part time with a salary of \$6,000 per year in addition to the \$16,000 per year drawn by Ayers.

Two of the three judges indicated they did not feel the additional position was needed. Only Associated Judge Pete Snider voted in favor of the proposal.

Much of Moonday's session was involved in planning this year's county budget.

County Clerk John Marvin Capps said that legally the budget was approved Monday by the court, but that he does not have the final figures compiled to be released.

The court considers the proposed budget of each department in the county government, approving it or approving an amended version of the proposed budget.

Capps said he should have a summary of the budget by Thursday.

Sikeston man injured

JACKSON — A Sikeston man received minor injuries in a three-vehicle accident at 4:40 p.m. Monday on Highway 34, one-fourth mile east of here, the highway patrol announced today.

Taken to St. Francis Hospital at Cape Girardeau with minor injuries was Howard Francis Woodall, 53, of Sikeston.

The patrol reported Woodall's eastbound

truck and an eastbound car driven by Harold Gene Uelsmann, 42, of Illinois were stopped on Highway 61 waiting for a vehicle to turn onto a gravel road.

A third eastbound car, driven by Pamela Sue Birk, 17, of Jackson skidded and struck the rear of Woodall's truck forcing it into the Uelsmann car.

The Birk woman was cited for careless and imprudent driving, the patrol said.

Kielhofner said the final budget would not be read for release until after Thursday.

The mayors' meeting will be sponsored by the County Court and will include election of officers and a program on the new law for budget procedures and revenue sharing preparation to be presented by Weldon Macke, auditor of Cape Girardeau County.

Warren Manning, administrator of the Scott County Health Department, will

discuss programs available to the citizens of Scott County.

Jim Chronister, director of the North Scott County Ambulance Service will also present a program on the services of the ambulance service.

Following the presentations by Macke, Manning and Chronister, a period of open discussion will be conducted.

Hirschowitz said the program will be open to all interested public officials.

Court works on county budget

David Horner of the Columbia office said January 1977 had an average temperature of 13.6 degrees compared to the previous average low of 14 degrees in January 1940. The city also received the most snowfall for January, with 19.7 inches compared with the 19.06 record of 15.7 inches.

Wes Fisher, staff director of the Missouri Energy Agency, says a check of major gas suppliers shows that Gas Service Co., of Kansas City, the pipeline company which supplies it, Panhandle Eastern and Laclede Gas Co., of St. Louis are all able to meet customer demands.

"The propane situation remains very tight and we're watching that closely," Fisher said.

More propane and fuel are being supplied by truckers, because of Gov. Joseph P. Teasdale's emergency order of last week temporarily lifting a 80,000

pounds from 73,280 pounds the total weight limit of trucks using the state's highways. The lifting of the limit allows trucks to carry over 1,000 gallons of fuel per load.

Laclede which serves about 500,000 customers in eastern Missouri and a part of Iowa, says customers can expect gas bills to increase by more than 40 per cent for January.

The hikes are due to rate increases and a 25 per cent boost in consumption, Laclede's spokesman said.

It will take more than a governor's emergency order to help the transportation abilities of barges stuck in the ice grip of the Mississippi River.

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers says

barge traffic in the upper Mississippi River for January is only 23 per cent of the same period a year ago.

Leslie L. McDaniel, instruction super-

visor for the state Department of Education, has not been able to pin down the exact number of school days lost because of the weather, but he says it is "more than normal."

Cassville Republican state Sen. Emory Melton believes a majority of the state's schools have lost as many as 20 days or more, and he has filed a bill which would keep districts from losing state aid when they have to close for extra days because of cold weather or

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Lyndon B. Johnson

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A Sikeston traveler writes from Florida that a bathing suit reveals the figure, but slacks show the fact.

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XXX**SUING BUSINESSES IS A BOOMING BUSINESS**

There has been a lot of talk lately about the growing number of product liability lawsuits — claims against businesses or manufacturers for injuries caused by allegedly unsafe or defective products — as well as the growing size of awards.

As evidence of both trends, the number of such claims in 1975 was 50 per cent higher than in 1971, and the dollar volume of claims in 1975 was three and one-half times that of 1973.

Much of the talk has come, not surprisingly, from the insurance industry, which has to foot the immediate bill for damages when a court or jury finds a manufacturer at fault. In the final analysis, of course, it is the general public which pays the bill when the higher cost of insurance premiums is passed along in the form of higher prices for consumer products.

Which may be all right, and the only way it can work. The trouble, however, is that the present system is inordinately enriching the few, especially lawyers, at the expense of the many, charges one insurance industry spokesman.

Not only has American society adopted a "sue complex" but shortcomings in our tort system are encouraging too many frivolous lawsuits says Robert T. Clayton, president of the 175,000- member strong Independent Insurance Agents of America.

Thanks to the contingency fee method, whereby a lawyer is paid a percentage of the award if and when he wins the case for his client, inflated and unreasonable claims can be pursued at little or no expense to the plaintiff, he says. As a result, many claims are settled out of court for amounts in excess of what is justified simply to avoid the high cost of legal defense should the case go to trial.

Again, the complaint is from the insurance industry side. But when lawyers themselves join the chorus, we know something must be wrong.

Four national associations of defense lawyers recently issued a "Products Liability Position Paper" asserting that "judicial excess" has created a products liability crisis.

The paper, issued jointly by the Defense Research Institute, the International Association of Insurance Counsel, the Federation of Insurance Counsel and the Association of Insurance Attorneys, says nothing about contingency fees but does include proposals for 13 reforms of tort law and procedure.

And while the names of these organizations suggest that their primary concern is for the welfare of the insurance industry, the fact that fewer products liability cases would mean less need for their services lends weight to their proposals.

For example, the lawyers urge a system of "comparative responsibility" which would take into account the responsibility of the plaintiff as well as the defendant. Damages would be diminished in proportion to the responsibility of the person suing for them.

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The paper also recommends that manufacturers and sellers be relieved of the burden of the duty to warn against product hazards which are patent or open and obvious to any normally intelligent person.

Nor should a product be considered defective which conformed with the industry's "state of the art" at the time of its design or manufacture.

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The New Yorker
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Better Floors
In Jumbo Jets

From the Washington Post
We are glad to note that the Federal Aviation Administration has shortened the deadlines imposed on U.S. airlines for making modifications in the floors of their jumbo jets. The danger created by the original design of these airplanes has been evident for some time, and we have never understood why the FAA announced a year's extension of the original deadlines earlier this fall.

Now, however, Administrator John L. McLucas, after some prodding from the National Transportation Safety Board, has reinstated the Dec. 31, 1977, deadline for changes in the DC-10s while giving the airlines a few months more than that to modify the other two models in question — the 747s and L-1011s.

The problem with these airplanes is in the weakness of the floors of their passenger cabins. This was revealed by the investigation into the crash of a DC-10 outside Paris two years ago in which 346 persons died. That accident occurred when an improperly locked cargo door blew off and the rush of air towards the door pulled down the floor above it. As the floor collapsed, the airplane's control cables, which run through it, were severed and the pilots could not avoid the crash.

Although the FAA now reports that the locks on the cargo doors of all DC-10s have been made foolproof and this particular accident could not recur, the same situation might arise if a hole were created in the body of a jumbo jet by a bomb or a collision with another aircraft.

The solution, mandated by the FAA, is to strengthen and vent the floors so that they can

withstand a sudden depressurization.

In this situation, as in any involving the inherent safety of airplanes, the necessary modifications need to be made as quickly as possible. The fact on which the FAA apparently rested its October order extending the deadlines — the assertion by the airlines that meeting it would cost them about \$14,500,000 — is simply irrelevant.

That is why we are pleased with Mr. McLucas's order which says no extensions will be permitted of the deadline for modifying the DC-10s, on which the problem is believed to be most serious, and few extensions on modifications of the other two models. We urge the FAA to make the modifications as speedily as it can, keeping in mind that the only valid reasons for delay in making changes of this kind are the inability to make them or the possibility that the change will compromise some other aspect of aircraft safety.

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It was the cold season, and the teacher wanted to impress her fourth graders with the dangers of exposure. "I once had a little cousin," she said sadly, "just nine years old. He took his new sled out in the snow one day and caught a cold. Then he developed pneumonia and died! Now he's not with us any more."

The classroom seemed absorbed with the gravity of her message. Finally a tiny voice spoke up from the rear: "What happened to his sled?"

Grit

DANGERS OF NO JAIL SUPERVISION
From The Tulsa Tribune

Some time during the morning of June 4, a 65-year-old Tulsa man died in the Mayes County jail at Pryor of internal injuries he had suffered in a traffic wreck the previous afternoon. He had received no medical attention although two Oklahoma prisoners claim they "hollered for a doctor all night long."

The man, William Benne, might have lived if a bill by Representative David Riggs of Tulsa had been enacted by the Legislature. But on April 14, the House of Representatives voted 51-3 to kill the measure.

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A man has a right to think lots of things he has no right to say.

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The shrinking of distances and the ready access to information has made us more aware of other people. It has also made them aware that a better life may be within their grasp. They know that the conditions that their fathers accepted with weary resignation are no longer inevitable. They know that depressions and despair are not the ordained lot of man.

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A Sikeston traveler writes from Florida that a bathing suit reveals the figure, but slacks show the fact.

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Definition of a recession is the period where a person starts living on his income until he gets his confidence back.

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SUING BUSINESSES IS A BOOMING BUSINESS

There has been a lot of talk lately about the growing number of product liability lawsuits — claims against businesses or manufacturers for injuries caused by allegedly unsafe or defective products — as well as the growing size of awards.

As evidence of both trends, the number of such claims in 1975 was 50 per cent higher than in 1971, and the dollar volume of claims in 1975 was three and one-half times that of 1973.

Much of the talk has come, not surprisingly, from the insurance industry, which has to foot the immediate bill for damages when a court or jury finds a manufacturer at fault. In the final analysis, of course, it is the general public which pays the bill when the higher cost of insurance premiums is passed along in the form of higher prices for consumer products.

Which may be all right, and the only way it can work. The trouble, however, is that the present system is inordinately enriching the few, especially lawyers, at the expense of the many, charges one insurance industry spokesman.

Not only has American society adopted a "sue complex" but shortcomings in our tort system are encouraging too many frivolous lawsuits says Robert T. Clayton, president of the 175,000-member strong Independent Insurance Agents of America.

Thanks to the contingency fee method, whereby a lawyer is paid a percentage of the award if and when he wins the case for his client, inflated and unreasonable claims can be pursued at little or no expense to the plaintiff, he says. As a result, many claims are settled out of court for amounts in excess of what is justified simply to avoid the high cost of legal defense should the case go to trial.

Again, the complaint is from the insurance industry side. But when lawyers themselves join the chorus, we know something must be wrong.

Four national associations of defense lawyers recently issued a "Products Liability Position Paper" asserting that "judicial excess" has created a products liability crisis.

The paper, issued jointly by the Defense Research Institute, the International Association of Insurance Counsel, the Federation of Insurance Counsel and the Association of Insurance Attorneys, says nothing about contingency fees but does include proposals for 13 reforms of tort law and procedure.

And while the names of these organizations suggest that their primary concern is for the welfare of the insurance industry, the fact that fewer products liability cases would mean less need for their services lends weight to their proposals.

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Not that many people expect it to be The Millennium, the Biblical thousand-year period of universal peace, happiness and prosperity. Americans, with 75 years of the tumultuous 20th century behind them, look forward to 2001 with far less naive confidence than an earlier generation greeted 1901.

Thus with all the doom-saying we are accustomed to hearing, it is refreshing when a group of experts, who are not idle speculators, come up with some encouraging prognostications about America and the world at the turn of the next century.

Top executives and planners with Continental Oil Co. were asked to take a peek at 2001 and these are some of the things they saw, as reported in a recent edition of the company's employee publication:

— Progress will be made on all of the world's major problems. The rate of population growth is already slowing, they note, and industry's baneful impact on the environment is lessening.

— The economies of individual nations will become increasingly interdependent, and this will provide the foundation — if not the necessity — for political co-operation.

— Energy requirements will increase more slowly, and we will be in an age of conservation and reclamation. For example, the recycling of aluminum takes only five per cent of the energy needed to manufacture virgin aluminum. Recycled steel requires 75 per cent less energy than steel made from ore.

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Today's News

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James L. Sullivan was picked to head the Department of Consumer Affairs and Jack A. Kirkland to direct the state Transportation Department.

If confirmed by the state Senate, Prof. Kirkland would become the first black to become permanent director of a state department. Last year, Gov. Christopher S. Bond appointed a black woman, Mrs. Betty Adams, to head the state Department of Labor and Industrial Relations.

But Mrs. Adams' appointment has been returned unconfirmed because Teasdale succeeded Bond and Teasdale is expected to appoint someone to replace her.

Financing conflicts may be over

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — State financing of transitions between outgoing and incoming statewide office holders would remove any appearance of a conflict of interest now possible under the private financing of transitions, according to backers of the financing plan in the Missouri House.

The House gave tentative approval to the public financing plan on Monday, marking the first successful hurdle for a plank in Gov. Joseph P. Teasdale's legislative program.

Private financing of transitions as has been the practice in the past when non-incumbents win statewide offices "is not good public policy," said Rep. Robert Ellis Young, R-Carthage. "Doing it the old way there is always the danger of conflict of interest at least the appearance of it."

The proposal, which was also a priority of House Democratic leaders, must still gain final House approval before going to the Senate.

Sides squared off over dam

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Representatives from both sides of the Meramec Dam controversy squared off Monday night before the House State Parks and Recreation Committee for a long debate conducted in relatively peaceful coexistence.

The committee hearing, which attracted more than 500 persons, marked the first time this session that a legislative committee heard both sides of the proposed referendum issue the same evening.

Low moisture, cold hurts farmers

COLUMBIA, Mo. (AP) — Inadequate moisture is hurting Missouri crops and continued cold weather has created livestock problems, according to the Missouri Crop and Livestock Reporting Service.

Topsoil and subsoil levels remain low, despite an average of seven inches of snow across the state and depths of up to 27 inches at some places, the reporting service said.

Frigid temperatures continue

NEW YORK (AP) — Frigid temperatures persisted in most of the Midwest and Northeast today as thousands of factories closed by the drain on natural gas supplies remained shut but some schools in at least one state planned to reopen. Schools in Pennsylvania heated by fuel oil, coal or electricity were permitted to open again today, ending a three-day cold weather vacation for some of the state's more than 2 million students. The bitter cold has left more than 75 persons dead and forced up to 1.5 million workers out of work after factories and businesses were closed to conserve heating fuel.

Permanent tax cuts sought

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senate Republicans are calling for an economic-stimulus program that features permanent individual tax cuts instead of the \$50-per-person instant rebates proposed by President Carter. The cost of the GOP plan, measured in revenue lost by the government, would be somewhat less than the \$31.2-billion two-year price tag on the Carter proposal. And Republicans say their plan would mean more jobs for Americans and a sustained bolstering of the economy instead of the oneshot stimulus sought by Carter.

Viking I nears Martian moon

PASADENA, Calif. (AP) — The orbiting portion of the Viking 1 spacecraft has completed maneuvers to bring it within 43 miles of a Martian moon that scientists want to photograph and chart, officials at Jet Propulsion Laboratory said Monday.

By Feb. 18, the orbiter should be close to Phobos, a natural satellite of the planet, and will be able to take pictures through Feb. 23. JPL officials said the pictures would provide the best look ever at the potato-shaped satellite, about 10 miles wide and 14 miles long.

Meanwhile, officials said the Viking 1 and 2 landers on the surface of Mars continued weather experiments and soil sample analyses.

Gas warnings still unheeded

WASHINGTON (AP) — Two years ago the staff of the Federal Power Commission urged the preparation of plans for mandatory natural gas conservation and allocation to cope with exactly the kind of emergency the nation now faces.

The warning went unheeded and today the United States still has no comprehensive plan for allocating scarce gas supplies or for managing the current crisis, which has idled an estimated 1.5 million workers.



New Rotary members

Three new members were inducted into the Sikeston Rotary Club at a Monday night dinner meeting at the Dutch Pantry Restaurant. Richard Childs, left, speech therapist for the Sikeston Public Schools, inducted the new members, from left, Joseph Alaimo, production manager at Medalist Caproco; Ronald Steinmetz, director of Tri-County Counseling Center; and Allen Lafoon, engineer for District 10 of the Missouri State Highway Department.

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Everett Dunn, East Prairie
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1st Nat Bk Sik 5 6

Jerrico 15 1/2 19 1/2

Martha Manning 30 31

Noranda Mines 4 1/2 5 1/4

Olson Farms 22 1/2 23

Pabco Brewing 14 14 1/4

Reliable Life 5 1/4 6

Sterling Stores 16 1/4 16 1/4

Wettera 16 1/4 16 1/4

LISTED STOCKS

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Allied Stores 41 1/2 42 1/2

American Tel & Tel 63 1/2 64

American Motors 4 20 1/2

Chrysler 29 1/2 29 1/2

Columbia Gas 41 1/2 42 1/2

Eaton Mfg. 60 1/2 62 1/2

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Today's News

Teasdale may add first black

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James L. Sullivan was picked to head the Department of Consumer Affairs and Jack A. Kirkland to direct the state Transportation Department.

If confirmed by the state Senate, Prof. Kirkland would become the first black to become permanent director of a state department. Last year, Gov. Christopher S. Bond appointed a black woman, Mrs. Betty Adams, to head the state Department of Labor and Industrial Relations.

But Mrs. Adams' appointment has been returned unconfirmed because Teasdale succeeded Bond and Teasdale is expected to appoint someone to replace her.

Financing conflicts may be over

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — State financing of transitions between outgoing and incoming statewide office holders would remove any appearance of a conflict of interest now possible under the private financing of transitions, according to backers of the financing plan in the Missouri House.

The House gave tentative approval to the public financing plan on Monday, marking the first successful hurdle for a plank in Gov. Joseph P. Teasdale's legislative program.

Private financing of transitions as has been the practice in the past when non-incumbents win statewide offices "is not good public policy," said Rep. Robert Ellis Young, R-Carthage. "Doing it the old way there is always the danger of conflict of interest or at least the appearance of it."

The proposal, which was also a priority of House Democratic leaders, must still gain final House approval before going to the Senate.

Sides squared off over dam

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Representatives from both sides of the Meramec Dam controversy squared off Monday night before the House State Parks and Recreation Committee for a long debate conducted in relatively peaceful coexistence.

The committee hearing, which attracted more than 500 persons, marked the first time this session that a legislative committee heard both sides of the proposed referendum issue the same evening.

Low moisture, cold hurts farmers

COLUMBIAS, Mo. (AP) — Inadequate moisture is hurting Missouri crops and continued cold weather has created livestock problems, according to the Missouri Crop and Livestock Reporting Service.

Topsoil and subsoil levels remain low, despite an average seven inches of snow across the state and depths of up to 27 inches at some places, the reporting service said.

Frigid temperatures continue

NEW YORK (AP) — Frigid temperatures persisted in most of the Midwest and Northeast this day as thousands of factories closed by the drain on natural gas supplies remained shut but some schools in at least one state planned to reopen. Schools in Pennsylvania heated by fuel oil, coal or electricity were permitted to open again today, ending a three-day cold weather vacation for some of the state's more than 2 million students. The bitter cold has left more than 75 persons dead and forced up to 15 million workers out of work after factories and businesses were closed to conserve heating fuel.

Permanent tax cuts sought

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senate Republicans are calling for an economic-stimulus program that features permanent individual tax cuts instead of the \$50-per-person instant rebates proposed by President Carter. The cost of the GOP plan, measured in revenue lost by the government, would be somewhat less than the \$31.2-billion two-year price tag on the Carter proposal. And Republicans say their plan would mean more jobs for Americans and a sustained bolstering of the economy instead of the oneshot stimulus sought by Carter.

Viking I nears Martian moon

PASADENA, Calif. (AP) — The orbiting portion of the Viking 1 spacecraft has completed maneuvers to bring it within 43 miles of a Martian moon that scientists want to photograph and chart, officials at Jet Propulsion Laboratory said Monday.

By Feb. 18, the orbiter should be close to Phobos, a natural satellite of the planet, and will be able to take pictures through Feb. 23. JPL officials said the pictures would provide the best look ever at the potato-shaped satellite, about 10 miles wide and 14 miles long.

Meanwhile, officials said the Viking 1 and 2 landers on the surface of Mars continued weather experiments and soil sample analyses.

Gas warnings still unheeded

WASHINGTON (AP) — Two years ago the staff of the Federal Power Commission urged the preparation of plans for mandatory natural gas conservation and allocation to cope with exactly the kind of emergency the nation now faces.

The warning went unheeded and today the United States still has no comprehensive plan for allocating scarce gas supplies or for managing the current crisis, which has idled an estimated 1.5 million workers.



New Rotary members

Three new members were inducted into the Sikeston Rotary Club at a Monday night dinner meeting at the Dutch Pantry Restaurant. Richard Childs, left, speech therapist for the Sikeston Public Schools, inducted the new members, from left, Joseph Alaimo, production manager at Medalist Capro; Ronald Steinmetz, director of Tri-County Counseling Center; and Allen Laffoon, engineer for District 10 of the Missouri State Highway Department.

Daily record

HOSPITAL NOTES

MISSOURI DELTA

Released:
Charles Riddle, Advance
Mildred Woods and baby boy, East Prairie
Jo Ann Patterson and baby boy, Essex
Everett Dunn, East Prairie
Wanda Pope, Charleston
Mamie Givens, Sikeston
Irene Porter, East Prairie
Marlin Paetzler, Charleston
Ruby Blankenship, Camalou
Mattice Griffin, Sikeston
Amine Powell, Charleston
Herman Williams, Libourn
Jane Blevins, Sikeston
Clyde Farris, Charleston
Elizabeth Songer, East Prairie
George Byrd, Sikeston
Irene Rogers, Charleston
Laverne Nall, East Prairie
Frank Gammons, East Prairie
Ruth Ozment and baby girl, Sikeston
Pauline Ross, Sikeston
Clayton Borkholder, Sikeston

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL

Admitted:
Shirley Teal, Hayti
Everett Stokes, Portageville
Irene Lashley, Marston
Alma Heinen, Kennett
Preston Doolittle, Bragg City
Bessie Walker, Bragg City
Halbert, Lowenstein
Caruthersville
Scott Miller, Caruthersville
Barus Clark, Caruthersville
Theresa Clayton, Caruthersville
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Carrie Johnson, Caruthersville

RELEASER

Carolyn Burns and baby boy, Hwy. 67
Anna Johnson, Portageville
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Fines assessed include: Cletus Counts of Charleston, speeding, \$10; Cecil Taylor of Ohio, public intoxication, \$28; and Ralph Brown of Charleston, careless and imprudent driving, \$22.

FORECAST

At Golconda the river will rise 14-15 feet, Wednesday and remain steady Friday.

At Cape Girardeau the river will fall 1-2 feet, Wednesday; fall 2-3 Thursday; fall 3-4 Friday.

At Caruthersville the river will remain stable Wednesday; fall 1.6 Friday.

At Grand Chain No Forecast Available.

At Cairo the river will fall 2.4 Wednesday; rise 1 Thursday; and 4 Friday.

RIVER STAGES

MISSISSIPPI RIVER

Flood Now Chg.
Chester 27 1.5 +1.5

Cape Girardeau 32 12.3 —3

New Madrid 34 5.9 N.C.

Caruthersville 32 4.5 —2

Flood Now Chg.
Golconda 40 14.7 +1.6

Paducah 39 14.4 +2.1

Grand Chain 42 13.6 —9

Cairo 40 9.8 —6

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At wit's end

You beautiful doll

By ERMA BOMBECK

Cindi Jensen suggested in a recent column in the *Wethersfield* (Conn.) Post that the world was ready for an Erma Bombeck doll. This would be a believable replica of a housewife with 'jumps in all the wrong places, an oversized sweatshirt covered with paint, and gray roots in her hair.'

Naturally, I'm flattered, but face it, Cindi — I can't compete with Barbie's 2½-inch bust, Cher's concave stomach and the *Bionic Woman's* fingernails which open a can of tuna in two seconds flat.

Besides, I just received a doll that could not only replace my encounter group, it should be in every kitchen in America. It's a *Voodoo* doll. It stands about nine inches high, has a nondescript face and a few strings of black yarn for hair. Printed over its entire body are cures and curses (depending on your assets) which can be enhanced by white pins (for the cures) and black pins (for the spells).

Listed on the female doll are areas such as migraine, tennis elbow, droopy panty hose, split ends, double chin, hairy legs, yellow teeth and

flat chest.

The male counterpart has bullseyes clearly marked for athlete's foot, trick knees, varicose veins, pot belly, gas, loose dentures, broken zippers and ring-around-the-collar.

The doll was sitting on my countertop when Mayva came in for coffee the other morning. "Who does this belong to?" she asked.

"Me."

"Oh for crying out loud. Didn't anyone ever tell you you're big for twelve? What's it do?"

"A lot. Whenever I see a size 10 that gets on my nerves, I just grab a black pin and give it a thrust and immediately every size 10 in the country feels rotten."

"Are you saying to me that you really believe in this nonsense?"

"One store in Philadelphia alone sold 1,500 of them," I said defensively.

"If you ask me, I think someone put a pin in your brain."

This morning, Mayva called and said, "I'd have popped in sooner, but I've been feeling lousy, like someone sewed my mouth shut."

Mayva exaggerates. I only took a tuck in it with two small black pins.

Coffee price drops slightly

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — The price of a one-pound can of coffee dropped three cents to \$2.91 this week, according to a statewide supermarket price survey.

The shoppers guide, released Monday by the state Farm Bureau, also reported relatively stable beef prices and large jump in supermarket prices for potatoes and eggs.

Blade roast dropped three cents a pound to 83 cents this week, and ground beef was down two cents a pound to 74 cents. But round steak experienced a two-cent jump to \$1.43 per pound.

A 10-pound bag of red potatoes moved up 14 cents to \$1.27 this week, the survey re-

ported.

Shank and butt portions of pork dropped a nickel and six cents, respectively. But other cuts jumped in price. Center cut chops rose nine cents to \$1.83, pork steaks moved up a penny to \$1.06 and pork blade roast jumped three cents to a dollar.

Local girls on Dean's List

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Leible, 316 Missouri Ave., will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary at a reception at the Knights of Columbus Hall of Charleston from 2 to 4 p.m. Sunday. All friends are invited to attend.

Spicy version of potato salad

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor
SUNDAY SUPPER
Bacon Potato Salad
Carrots Spinach
Bran Muffins Beverage
BACON POTATO SALAD
This hot version is said to be
Moravian.

1½ pounds (3 medium)
potatoes
½ pound bacon
1 small onion, chopped
medium-fine
A few sprigs parsley,
chopped fine
1 to 1½ tablespoons light
brown sugar
2 tablespoons cider vinegar
½ teaspoon pepper
½ teaspoon nutmeg
Salt to taste

Boil potatoes in their skins; peel and slice fairly thin. Meanwhile in a 10-inch skillet slowly cook the bacon (in 2 batches) until crisp; drain on brown paper, crumble and keep warm; reserve bacon fat. Return 3 tablespoons of the reserved bacon fat to the skillet; add the onion and cook gently until wilted. Add the parsley, sugar, vinegar, pepper and nutmeg; stir well and heat; add the hot potatoes and mix well. Mix in the bacon and salt. Serve at once. Makes 4 servings.

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
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At this time of year some of the most delicious avocados are in season. They have smooth skin that's forest-green in color and delectable flavor within.

Served on the half-shell as a first course, they can make a supper menu with a thrifty main course suitable for the most finicky of guests. This way of serving avocados we add, as further persuasion, couldn't be easier.

Offering avocados on the half-shell means that you serve halves of the fruit in their skin with a savory dressing that contrasts well with the delicate flavor of the avocado itself. The dressing may be prepared well ahead, but the avocados are cut and seeded just before serving so their surface won't darken. A spoonful of dressing is poured into each cavity and the avocados are offered on salad plates with teaspoons for scooping away the flesh from the skin.

Sometimes an "extra" is added to each cavity before the dressing is poured in. In the case of a dressing with a tomato base this can be a few cooked shrimp or lumps of crabmeat. In the following recipe, much enjoyed at our house, we added orange sections because they are compatible with the citrus dressing.

ORANGE AVOCADOS ON
THE HALF-SHELL
4 medium-size oranges
¼ cup olive oil
2 tablespoons lemon juice
¾ teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon white pepper
4 medium-size ripe avocados

With a sharp knife cut rind away from oranges so no thick white membrane remains. Over a bowl, slice each orange into sections by cutting the pulp away from the dividing thin membranes; or if the thin membranes are very tender, as in some oranges, cut sections so each segment of pulp encloses a thin membrane in its center. Cut each section in half crosswise. Chill oranges, reserving the small amount of juice inevitably left after sectioning.

Whisk or shake together 2 tablespoons of the reserved orange juice, the olive oil, lemon juice, salt and pepper; chill.

Just before serving cut avocados in half lengthwise; twist apart; remove seeds and any brown inner skin that adheres. Place avocado halves on salad plates. Arrange oranges (minus any juice that may have collected) in cavities. Whisk or shake together the dressing again and spoon a tablespoonful of it into each cavity. Serve at once.

Makes 8 servings.

The National Prohibition Party was organized in Chicago in 1869. Almost 200 delegates from nine states, concerned that neither major party included a prohibition plank in its platform, were responsible for its organization.

Spring accessories favor the past

By Ellie Grossman

NEW YORK — (NEA) — It's charming what they've done with table linens for spring, whipping it into little camisoles and petticoats, jumpsuits and dresses.

What innocence, what gentility. What do you wear with it?

Barbara Gerard, an international fashion consultant, offered some thoughts recently, the most encouraging of which was, "You might not have to go out and find accessories."

They might already be there in your jewelry box or an old trunk.

"I think," she continued, "that basically the jewelry to enhance this kind of look has to have a sense of the past to it, such as American Indian pieces."

And it should be romantic and personal. "The idea of an old watch or a Victorian locket updated on a silken cord is fine. Even a watch key

charm they used to wear on watch chains as decoration is attractive."

What you want to avoid is "anything heavy or chunky. Since these clothes have a flowing kind of feeling to them, the jewelry should reflect that, too. You can wear multiple strands of tiny beads," but not so multiple that they overpower.

"And you don't want to push too hard, but you could get an artificial flower — one that had a naive feeling — put it on a silken cord and loop it around your neck like a choker."

Since the clothes tend to be revealing, "wear things that look pretty against the skin and against the creamy white of these clothes. The range of colors should be delicate like an old-fashioned nosegay."

Take an old shell or a piece of mother of pearl and suspend it from a gold neck wire. "You can also do that with a tiny baby rattle of silver or

mother of pearl, for a personal touch."

But don't ruin it all by sticking large wedges of hammered metal in your ears.

"Try a seed pearl earring

which is an irregular pearl or a gem stone such as an amethyst which ranges from pink to deep purple or golden topaz which looks like sunlight. Or use a touch of coral or turquoise."

Moving down to the hands, you're still aiming for subtlety, but "three or four delicate rings worn on one finger do just fine. Maybe one's rings you picked up at an antique fair."

When you've made your selections, put them to the test. "Put whatever you're wearing on a hanger and add the accessories. The bottom line is it should look pretty and charming enough for a picture."

If it doesn't, go back to the drawing board.

Wedding to come

Rorex-Keith

daughter, Vicki Ann, to Dennis Martin Keith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Keith of Jackson.

Miss Rorex is a 1972 graduate of North Pemiscot High School at Wardell and will graduate from Southeast Missouri State University at Cape Girardeau in May with a bachelor's degree in elementary education and a specialization in the exceptional child. School activities include being president of the SeMo Council for Exceptional Children and a member of the Towers Complex Judicial Review Board.

Keith is a 1969 graduate of Jackson High School and a 1974 graduate of Selma State, where his fraternity was Pi Kappa Alpha. He is employed as an employment service technician at the Missouri Division of Employment Security at Sikeston.

The couple plan a June 11 wedding.



Vicki Ann Rorex

CHARLESTON — Dr. and Mrs. Charles Rorex announce the engagement of their

Senate honors woman for community service

BLOOMFIELD — The Missouri Senate recently adopted a resolution honoring Mrs. June Welborn of Bloomfield for service to her community.

Mrs. Welborn was recently chosen as Bloomfield Woman of the Year by the Jaycees. She graduated from Bloomfield High School in 1939 and received

a bachelor's degree in journalism from the University of Missouri in 1942. She is the wife of Joe Welborn, a Bloomfield attorney, and the mother of three children.

She has held many positions of service in the Girl Scout organization and collects funds for various organizations in the community.



By Polly Cramer

Polly's Pointers

Epoxy paint pretties tub

Polly's Problem

DEAR POLLY — Can anyone tell me how to change the color of an old laundry tub from its white porcelain finish to a dull black like wrought iron? I want to convert the tub to a planter for my back patio.

Also, does anyone have any ideas about what to do with those pretty printed and lacy handkerchiefs not used in these days of disposable tissues?

I would like to tell the other readers that I have had success with freezing some of those specialty breads, like banana bread, so I make it ahead to have on hand for special occasions. They make perfect open sandwiches if baked in a round container. I use 12 oz. beer cans with the tops removed just below the rims and then spray with a whiff of one of the anti-stick sprays so the bread comes out of the can with no effort at all. Fill cans one-half full and bake as usual. — K.O.

DEAR K.O. — Betty, my right hand helper, says her husband painted a stationary laundry tub with white epoxy paint and it was most successful. A paint dealer told me that this also comes in black. Directions for preparation must be followed very carefully. The surface must be clean with no soapy film and a fine sandpaper or liquid sandpaper used to break the gloss. After painting, the surface must dry and cure for 48 to 72 hours. This is hard to work with, so my informant suggested that you might prefer using a good hard black enamel after preparing the surface as above. He says this can take the weather outdoors just as well and will be far less expensive.

Not too long ago we had a similar question to yours about using handkerchiefs, but the other reader had many napkins. They can be sewed together in patchwork style to make bridge table covers, tablecloths, bedspreads and even pretty bathroom curtains. Printed ones sewn together in such a fashion, and with feather stitching around them, would make a striking cotton evening skirt, too. — POLLY.

DEAR POLLY — My Pet Peeve is with the recent Pet Peeve in the column about garage sales. I want to say that my garage sale was not junk and many items were still in the wrappers from the wardrobe of my late husband. Perhaps my prices were too high but they were comparable with the local thrift shops. — M.S.

DEAR POLLY — I have found that a plastic dishwashing liquid bottle is handy for watering hanging plants. I snip the end to make the opening a bit bigger. — OLIVE.

Michele's means love this Valentine's Day!

She's sending "Love Notes" to her friends... Little "Love Notes" with Delightful Discounts... She has a "Love Note" especially for you! With love from Michele's

Ann Landers

Dog's treatment prompts letter

Dear Ann Landers: I'll bet you've never received a letter from a dog before. Well, this is a first.

It's a message from an adorable mutt who lives next door. I understand dog language and wrote this down for him and promised to mail it to his master. I made an extra copy for you, Ann. I hope you will print it.

"Dear Folks: Well, you're off again and it's only 7:00 a.m. Will it be 10 or 11 tonight when you

return? Thanks for leaving some food, but it's too cold to eat out here. Well, I guess now that I've knocked over my water I'll chew on the porch for awhile.

"That nice man next door will be over here pretty soon to give me some fresh water. I'm always glad to see him because he talks to me. Gee, I'm lonesome.

"I can't figure out why you people got me. I have never seen what the house looks like —

except the kitchen, late at night for a few hours. Please, will you let me eat a meal inside once in a while?

"I'm only six months old. I know I've grown a lot since I was a puppy and I'm not as cute as I used to be, but please don't greet me with, 'Bad dog,' just because I chew open the plastic garbage bags. I have to do SOMETHING while I'm tied up here for 12 or 14 hours.

"Here comes that nice lady walking her dog, Boy, is HE a lucky hound. I wish someone would take ME for a walk. Well, I guess I'll chew on the porch for a while!" — Your Sad Mutt

Dear Mutt: Write again when you get to eat inside and see what the rest of the house looks like. Your letter would melt a heart of stone.

Dear Ann: Please -- a word of advice to those of us who are victims of octopus people.

What are they? Well, they are individuals who grab ahold of

you when they talk. They get a grip on your hand (or BOTH hands) and won't let go. Or they'll put an arm around your waist -- very chummy -- or put their hands on your shoulders in a death grip. Get the idea?

Sometimes they give you a rib-crushing hug on greeting, or grab you around the neck and knock your hat off, or bend your eyeglasses.

I've had it with these physical types and if you don't tell me how to protect myself, I'm going to get rude. — Over 50 And Handicapped, OFF, Please

Dear Over 50: Your best defense is a strong offense.

You know by this time who the bone-crushers are. When you see one coming, give him the stiff arm. With a warm smile and some fancy footwork you can protect yourself without being rude to someone who means well but lacks sensitivity.

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At wit's end

You beautiful doll

By ERMA BOMBECK

Cindi Jethersfield (Conn.) Post that the world was ready for an Erma Bombeck doll. This would be a believable replica of a housewife with "lumps in all the wrong places, an oversized sweatshirt covered with paint, and gray roots in her hair."

Naturally, I'm flattered, but face it, Cindi — I can't compete with Barbie's 2½-inch bust, Cher's concave stomach and the Bionic Woman's fingernails which open a can of tuna in two seconds flat.

Besides, I just received a doll that could not only replace my encounter group, it should be in every kitchen in America. It's a Voodoo doll. It stands about nine inches high, has a nondescript face and a few strings of black yarn for hair. Printed over its entire body are curses and curses (depending on your assets) which can be enhanced by white pins (for the curses) and black pins (for the spells).

Listed on the female doll are areas such as migraine, tennis elbow, droopy panty hose, split ends, double chin, hairy legs, yellow teeth and

flat chest.

The male counterpart has bullseyes clearly marked for athlete's foot, trick knees, varicose veins, pot belly, gas, loose dentures, broken zippers and ring-around-the-collar.

The doll was sitting on my countertop when Maya came in for coffee the other morning. "Who does this belong to?" she asked.

"Me."

"Oh for crying out loud. Didn't anyone ever tell you're big for twelve? What's it do?"

"A lot. Whenever I see a size 10 that gets on my nerves, I just grab a black pin and give it a thrust and immediately every size 10 in the country feels rotten."

"Are you saying to me that you really believe in this nonsense?"

"One store in Philadelphia alone sold 1,500 of them," I said defensively.

"If you ask me, I think someone put a pin in your brain."

This morning, Maya called and said, "I'd have popped in sooner, but I've been feeling lousy, like someone sewed my mouth shut."

Maya exaggerates. I only took a tuck in it with two small black pins.

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Shank and butt portions of pork dropped a nickel and six cents, respectively. But other cuts jumped in price. Center cut chops rose nine cents to \$1.83, pork steak moved up a penny to \$1.06 and pork blade roast jumped three cents to a dollar.

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No. 2 Michigan was upset 99-87 by Northwestern and fell to No. 7. Third-place Alabama dropped an 87-85 decision to Kentucky and dropped to eighth, while No. 4 North Carolina lost 67-66 to Wake Forest and 93-73 to Clemson, skidding to 13th.

San Francisco, after trailing Santa Clara by 16 points, beat the Broncos 71-70 on a shot by Chubby Cox with two seconds remaining. The Dons, 21-0, had defeated Santa Clara 74-68 earlier in the week and remained No. 1.

UCLA, now 16-2, was the big winner of the week, vaulting from eighth to second. The

Bruins edged Notre Dame 70-65 before routing Southern Cal 77-59 and Tennessee 103-89.

Kentucky, 14-2, sixth a week ago, beat Mississippi 100-73 before upsetting Alabama and moved from sixth to third.

Nevada-Las Vegas, 16-1, did not play, but moved up from fifth to fourth.

Wake Forest, 16-2, beat North Carolina and Appalachian State 83-73, vaulting five spots from 10th to fifth.

San Francisco garnered 50 of 56 first-place votes, with UCLA getting three and Kentucky, Nevada-Las Vegas and Minnesota one each from a national panel of sports writers and broadcasters.

Marquette beat DePaul 85-64, moving up from ninth to sixth.

Michigan beat Ohio State 92-81 and Wisconsin 69-64 before losing to Northwestern and plugging five places.

Alabama beat Georgia 78-74 in overtime, before being upset by Kentucky.

Louisville, 15-2, humbled Long Island University 107-68, edged Dayton 76-71 and defeated Rhode Island 105-87, moving up two spots to ninth.

Minnesota, 15-1, leaped three places to 10th, beating Big Ten Conference rivals Michigan State 75-70, Indiana 79-60 and

Ohio State 77-67.

Tennessee beat Mississippi State 68-59 before losing to UCLA Sunday on national television and fell from No. 7 to 11th.

Cincinnati beat Wichita State and Duquesne, and remained 12th.

Arkansas, 17-1, inched up a spot to 14th, defeating Southwest Conference rivals Texas A&M 72-58, SMU 77-59 and Baylor 68-59.

Providence beat Canisius 86-69 but was forced to go to overtime before prevailing over Niagara 71-63. The Friars dropped a notch to 15th.

Clemson, by virtue of its victory over North Carolina, jumped three spots to No. 16.

Syracuse, 16-2, beat Buffalo and Temple, and remained 17th. Purdue beat Wisconsin and Illinois and held 18th place.

Arizona lost to Wyoming and fell three spots to 19. Detroit, 16-1, cracked the Top 20, rounding out the poll at No. 20.

Memphis State was the lone team to drop out of the Top 20.

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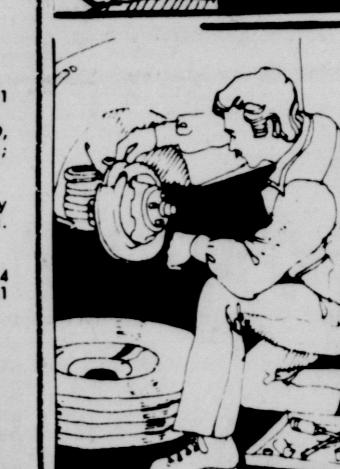
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"Shidler gave us a lift when we needed it most," said Kentucky Coach Joe Hall after the Wildcats staved off the stubborn Bulldogs. "He got us going again when we were getting flat."

"Shidler is one of the finest pure shooters I have seen in some time," said State Coach Kermit Davis.

Elsewhere in The Associated Press Top 20, Kentucky's SEC rival, eighth-ranked Alabama, eased past Vanderbilt 96-82, and No. 12 Cincinnati defeated Memphis State 88-82 in a key Metro 7 game.

In other games involving non-ranked teams, Indiana State avenged an earlier loss to Illinois State, beating the Redbirds 100-94, Southern Illinois edged St. Louis 76-73 for Coach Paul Lambert's 200th career victory, Duke mauled Duquesne 76-49, South Carolina stopped

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scored 15-6 from the foul line.

Sikeston (50)

Sales 17, Eckles 16, Rodgers 8, Longstreet 3, Tope 2, Lasater 4

Totals: FG:22; FT:6; PF:14

Poplar Bluff (41)

Allen 11, Pulliam 10, Ellis 2, Poteet 6, Stirk 4, Sandlin 4, Ward 2,

Totals: FG:13; FT:15; PF:17

Score by Quarters:

Sikeston 6 12 25 7.50

Poplar Bluff 11 10 12 8.41

Sikeston (54)

Beasley 22, Simmons 11, Lane 19, McDowell 2. Totals: FG:23; FT:8; PF:15

Poplar Bluff (41)

Norton 14, Brett 8, Hile 8, McVay

4, McLean 1, Powell 5, Odom 1.

Totals: FG:16; FT:9; PF:9

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Leonardo da Vinci was left-handed.

Shidler lifts Wildcats to 92-85 SEC win over Mississippi State

By BARRY WILNER
AP Sports Writer

Rick Robey and Jack Givens got most of the points for Kentucky but Jay Shidler got most of the credit for the Wildcats' latest victory.

Shidler scored 12 points — to 24 each for Robey and Givens — but he was the key figure in No. 3-ranked Kentucky's 92-85 Southeastern Conference basketball victory at Mississippi State Monday night.

"Shidler gave us a lift when we needed it most," said Kentucky Coach Joe Hall after the Wildcats staved off the stubborn Bulldogs. "He got us going again when we were getting flat."

Shidler is one of the finest pure shooters I have seen in some time," said State Coach Kermit Davis.

Elsewhere in The Associated Press Top 20, Kentucky's SEC rival, eighth-ranked Alabama, eased past Vanderbilt 96-82, and No. 12 Cincinnati defeated Memphis State 88-82 in a key Metro 7 game.

In other games involving non-ranked teams, Indiana State avenged an earlier loss to Illinois State, beating the Redbirds 100-84. Southern Illinois won St. Louis 76-73 for Coach Paul Lambert's 200th career victory. Duke mauled Duquesne 76-49. South Carolina stopped

showed up at Terre Haute and saw Larry Byrd score 40 points as the Sycamores beat Illinois State.

"The first 199 games came pretty tough, too," said Lambert of Southern Illinois' close call against 2-14 St. Louis. A balanced scoring effort by SIU saw five men hit for double figures, led by Mike Glenn's 15 points.

Center Robert Miller and forward Mike Jones accounted for 21 points apiece in Cincinnati's victory over Memphis State.

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Bellino played for Navy from 1958 through 1960, winning the Heisman Trophy as the outstanding college player in the nation in his senior year. After serving in the Navy, he played during 1965-67 with the Boston (now New England) Patriots, then of the American Football League.

Sayers voted to College Hall

NEW YORK (AP) — Running backs Gale Sayers and Joe Bellino head a list of 11 former college football stars named today to the National Football Foundation's College Hall of Fame.

Chairman of the Board Vincent dePaul Draddy said six backs and five linemen had been selected at the January meeting of the Foundation's 12-man honors court.

Sayers, a two-time All-American who played at Kansas from 1962 through 1964, was one of football's most exciting running backs. Now the athletic director at Southern Illinois, he be-

came the youngest member of the Hall at age 29.

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Linemen named to the Hall were Francis Bagnell of Penn, 1948-50; Willis Barker of Tulane, 1927-29; Harrison Francis of Indiana, 1934-36, and Robert MacLeod of Dartmouth, 1936-38.

Linemen named to the Hall were Zygmunt Czarobski of Notre Dame, 1942-43, 1946-47; James Daniel of Ohio State, 1939-41; Rodney Franz of California, 1946-49; Century Milstead of Wabash, 1920-21; Yale 1923, and Leo Nomellini of Minnesota, 1946-49.

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New Madrid Co. Junior High Tourney opens

HOWARDVILLE — The New Madrid County Junior High Tournament got underway last night with Parma and Gideon advancing to the semifinal round with victories.

Parma upset fourth-seeded New Madrid 41-40, while second-seeded Gideon topped Portageville 45-21.

The tournament resumes Wednesday night, with top-seeded Howardville meeting Matthews at 6:00 and third-seeded Risco taking on Marston at 7:30.

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Monday's College Basketball Results
By The Associated Press
EAST

Army 74, Rochester 66
Duke 76, Duquesne 49
Fairfield 94, Boston U 74
Temple 55, Biscayne 51

SOUTH

Alabama 96, Vanderbilt 82
Arkansas 72, Mississippi 65
Florida 83, Louisiana St 68
Florida St 66, Mercer 65, OT

Georgia Tech 81, Wofford 37
Grambling 87, Prairie View

MIDWEST

Cincinnati 88, Memphis St 82
Creighton 84, DePaul 75
Indiana St 100, Illinois St 84
Iowa St 82, Drake 61

S Illinois 76, St. Louis 73

SOUTHWEST

Abilene Christian 85, SW Texas 62

Arkansas St 86, Tex-Arlington 75

Howard Payne 96, Texas A&I 71

Far West

Portland 74, Seattle 65
St. Mary's, Cal. 107, San Diego 75

UC-Davis 62, UC-Riverside 61
W New Mexico 55, Regis 53

EXHIBITION

Athletes-In-Action 94, San Francisco St 73

Iowa State 82, Drake 61
NW Missouri 91, SW Missouri 70

Cen Missouri 75, NE Missouri 60

Mo. Rolla 92, Westminster 77
Mo. Southern 64, Rockhurst 51

Lincoln 99, SE Missouri 70
Drury 69, Mo. Western 54

John Brown 85, SW Baptist 80
S Illinois 76, St. Louis U. 73

Pro Basketball At A Glance
By The Associated Press

National Basketball Association

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

W L Pct. GB

Philadelphia 29 17 .430 167

Boston 23 26 .469 7 1/2

NY Kn's 21 25 .457 8

Buffalo 17 30 .362 12 1/2

NY Nets 13 34 .277 16 1/2

Central Division

W L Pct. GB

Mont 37 7 8 .82 246 118

Pitts 22 29 8 .52 161

L.A. 18 23 9 .46 164 165

Wash 16 28 8 .40 141 192

Dirt 14 29 6 34 128 176

Adams Division

Bstn 30 16 5 65 193 157

Buff 28 15 6 65 174 133

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Wednesday's Games

By The Associated Press

BASKETBALL

NEW YORK — AL Lopez, Amos Rusie and Joe Sewell were elected to Baseball's Hall of Fame by the Veteran's Committee.

TENNIS

SEATTLE — Sixth-seeded Kristien Shaw of San Diego beat Mary Carillo of New York 6-4, 2-6, 6-2 in the first round of a \$100,000 women's tennis tourna-

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Reese Hospital on Chicago's South Side, a few miles from the International Amphitheater, with a fractured forearm that needs surgery, a fractured left collarbone and assorted other aches and pains.

Lying in his bed late Monday night, the motorcyclist vowed to come back: "I will return ... I'm not a quitter."

Of the mishap, he said, "There was so much impact ... upon landing that he lost control."

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Blues plagued by financial woes; fire Patrick and three others

Salomon hospitalized

ST. LOUIS (AP) — More reductions among maintenance personnel were to be considered today by the St. Louis Blues amid a financial upheaval which has already cost four key staff members their jobs.

Dismissed late Monday in a surprise economy move by the National Hockey League club were senior vice president Lynn Patrick and public relations director Myron Holtzman along with two additional Arena Corp. officials.

Cited by the Blues in a terse statement were "mounting financial problems" which could make further staff consolidations necessary.

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Would rather plow then pay

Will Grimsley's Sports World

NEW YORK (AP) — Ol' "Schnoz" queued up again and had the door slammed in his face.

Hope of ever achieving baseball's Hall of Fame is running out on Ernesto Natali "Ernie" Lombardi, the big, lovable catcher whose 46-ounce bat once was the terror of the National League.

"We considered him," a member of the Veterans Committee said guardedly after a trio of old-timers — Joe Sewell, Al Lopez and the late Amos Rusie — were named Monday for shrines in Cooperstown, N.Y. "Maybe next time."

It's always "next time" it seems for the "Schnoz," or the "Snooze" if you insist on harking back to baseball's most notorious sleep-walking act in the 1939 World Series.

As years pass, legends dim and memories grow gray, diminishing feats that might qualify a man for immortality, such as Lombardi's sizzling bat which hammered out a .306 average and his hollowed-out mitt which, despite his awkwardness, made him one of the surest catchers of his time.

Now Lombardi may never make it — more's the pity.

Ted Williams, the last .400 hitter, while wandering through the Hall of Fame at Cooperstown once was asked what hitter he admired most.

"Lombardi," the Splinter replied. "What a hitter he was!"

Ernie caught speedballers, knuckleballers and submarine batters — such as double no-hit Johnny Vander Meer, Paul Derringer and Jim Tobin — but rarely let a ball get away from him.

With an unorthodox interlocking grip, he rifled the ball through the infield. Few met it more solidly. However, he was so slow teams played a seven-man outfield against him. Third basemen played him so far back that he often ran out bunts.

The shame is that Lombardi is remembered more for the awkwardness of his 6-foot-3, 230-pound frame and a bizarre World Series incident than for his natural skills.

He never was able successfully to live down the "Sleeping Beauty Act" of 1939 when, catching for the Cincinnati Reds in the 10th inning of a World Series game against the Yankees, he was sent sprawling by King Kong Keller and allowed two runs to score while lying prone on the ground.

Lombardi's chances are lessened by a bit of intramural warfare now going on between the selectors — the Baseball Writers Association of America, 400-plus strong, who pick the modern era, and the 12-man special committee which probes the old timers. The younger group feels that the Veterans Committee is diluting the prestige of the Hall of Fame by picking sentimentally and indiscriminately.

But as a member of the Veterans Committee put it:

"As they say in the Bible, there is a heaven, a hell and purgatory. Purgatory is where you wait until your name comes up. That's the way it is with the old guys — trapped there, sittin', waitin' and hopin'."

Soviets to award Olympic television rights today

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An NBC official continued to insist that his network had the rights. However, ABC sources said that its network still was in contact with Soviet officials and that it had "not received a 'no'" from the Soviets.

NBC officials had announced

Sunday they had been awarded

the rights, but the Olympic

committee said Monday that no

award had been made yet. The

committee apparently was re-

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FUNNY BUSINESS

By Roger Bollen



THE FAMILY CIRCUS.

By Bil Keane



Today in U.S. history

By The Associated Press

Today is Tuesday, Feb. 1, the 32nd day of 1977. There are 333 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history: On this date in 1790, the U.S. Supreme Court held its first session, meeting in the Royal Exchange Building in New York City.

On this date:

In 1587, Queen Elizabeth the First of England condemned to death Mary, Queen of Scots.

In 1861, Texas voted to secede from the Union.

In 1893, Thomas A. Edison completed work on the world's first motion picture studio in West Orange, N.J., for under \$700.

In 1956, Autherine Lucy became the first black to be admitted to the University of Alabama.

In 1965, Martin Luther King and some 770 other blacks were arrested during civil rights

demonstrations at Selma, Ala.

In 1968, Richard M. Nixon announced that he would seek the Republican presidential nomination.

Ten years ago: In China, forces of Mao Tse-tung claimed to have seized the capital of Sinkiang Province and put rebellious soldiers to flight.

Five years ago: There were strikes and boycotts in Ireland after a clash in Londonderry in Northern Ireland in which 13 people were killed by British troops.

One year ago: Celebrations were held around the world to mark the Lunar New Year of the dragon.

Today's birthday: Artist Doris Lee is 72.

Thought for today: Before buying anything, it is well to ask whether one could not do without it. — John Lubbock, English astronomer and mathematician, 1803-1865.

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14 Musical work 58 demons 58 EGOR
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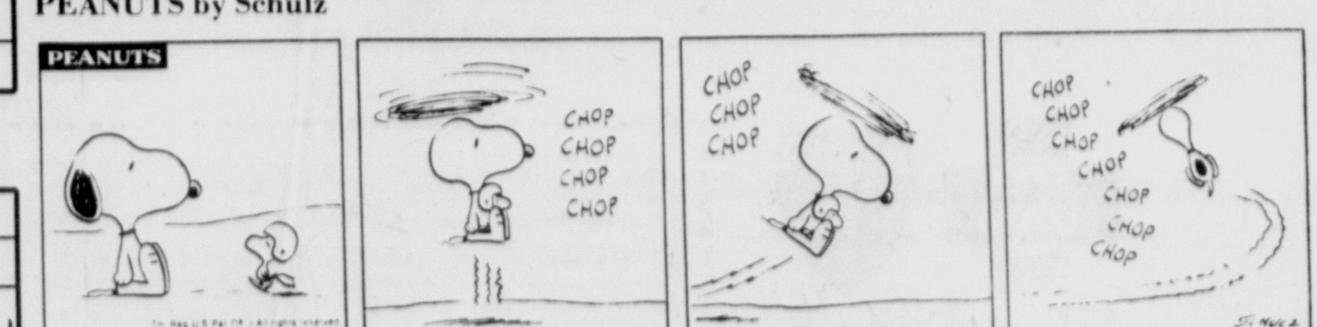
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Suit against labor officials is dismissed

CAPE GIRARDEAU — A civil suit requesting damages resulting from alleged violations by officials of Laborers Local 282 here and the international union has been dismissed from U. S. District Court on grounds that the plaintiff is not the proper authority to bring suit.

In a memorandum of dismissal, U. S. District Judge John K. Regan upheld motions by the union's attorneys that because Caucus of Laborers to Enforce Now (CLEAN) is not incorporated, it has no legal right to bring suit against Local 282 or the International Laborers Union of North America.

CLEAN, an unincorporated group of dissident members of the local, had requested \$1.5 million in damages as a result of numerous alleged violations by union officials and asked that a permanent injunction be issued to prohibit future violations.

The suit names as defendants Fred D. "Nook" Kelley, president of Local 282; Paul P. Menz, business representative and secretary-treasurer; Jack L. Kitchen, recording secretary; Angelo Fosco, general president of the Laborers International Union of North America, AFL-CIO-CLC, and Wilber W. Freitage, fourth vice president of the international organization.

Judge Regan pointed out in his memorandum that the federal court determines which cases to hear on the basis of law in the state in which it exists.

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3 Sikestonians named to Drury dean's honor roll

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Buchanan is the son of Mrs. Mary Buchanan, 600 Pine St.; Mr. and Mrs. David Friedman, 1031 N. Kingshighway, are the parents of Friedman; and Miss Klein is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jean Klein, 1005 N. Ranney St. All three are seniors.

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Loose weight and excess water with
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Burial arrangements are incomplete.

Alice O'Reilly

CHARLESTON — Mrs. Alice O'Reilly, 69, died at 1:20 a.m. today in Missouri Delta Community Hospital at Sikeston.

McMickle Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements, which are incomplete.

Jasper Jarrett

PORTEGEVILLE — Graveside rites for Jasper Jarrett, 27, of Chicago, who died Jan. 24 following an extended illness, were conducted at noon today in Portageville Cemetery.

He was born July 16, 1949 in Henning, Tenn., son of the late Cleopher and Dora Jarrett.

Survivors include: his widow, Nadine Jarrett of Chicago; one stepson, Alonzo Davis of Chicago; grandmothers, Lila Jarrett Cunningham and Elizabeth Moses, addresses unavailable; and grandfather, George Moses, address unavailable.

Martha Tarpley

MOREHOUSE — Mrs. Martha Averil Tarpley, 74, died Monday in Missouri Delta Community Hospital at Sikeston.

She was born Oct. 19, 1902 at Rombauer daughter of the late Samuel and Nancy McCoy Wright, where she lived until moving to Morehouse in 1957.

On Nov. 7, 1957, she married Harley Tarpley, who died Sept. 13, 1969.

Survivors include: one daughter, Mrs. Reva Linville of Campbell; two stepsons, Lawrence Tarpley of Billerica, Mass., and Donald A. Tarpley of Tobynha Pa.; one brother, Nathan Wright of Poplar Bluff; two sisters, Mrs. Alice Plush of Thedalia, Ore., and Mrs. Gertrude Hinkle of Festus; and four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Friends may call after 4 p.m. today at Watkins & Sons Funeral Home in Dexter, where services are scheduled at 1 p.m. Wednesday. The Revs. Roy McAnulty of Morehouse and Joe Williams of Campbell will officiate.

Burial will follow in Woodland Cemetery at Campbell.

Talent audition set for CP

CAPE GIRARDEAU — Telethon Chairman Earl W. James has announced talent auditions for the seventh annual Celebrity Telethon for Cerebral Palsy.

The auditions will be held Saturday at the KFVS-TV studios and Sunday at Lawson Hall, Room 131, on the Southern Illinois University campus in Carbondale, Ill.

Appointments must be made by persons interested in auditioning either at Cape Girardeau or Carbondale. The telephone number to call from 9 a.m. to 5 is 334-0596.

The entertainment chairman is Bill Ewing, who notes that all types of performers are being sought.

The Celebrity Telethon will be seen Feb. 19 and 20, live and in color on Channel 12, direct from the KFVS-TV studios, featuring nightclub and recording star Johnny Tillotson as master of ceremonies along with an array of other celebrities.

Burger radios too much alike

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — A firm that makes cheeseburger-shaped radios decided to make it a federal case when a rival firm started selling hamburger-shaped radios in the same packaging.

After a hearing before U.S. District Court Judge Charles Weiner on Monday, Windsor Industries of Melville, N.Y., agreed to stop boxing its hamburger radio in yellow and orange and to remove a cheeseburger picture from the box.

Amico, Inc., of Philadelphia, which makes cheeseburger radios, had complained in a suit that Windsor was trying to steal its business by duplicating its packaging.

James Seabaugh

EAST PRAIRIE — Pallbearers at services scheduled at 12 p.m. Wednesday in Shelby Funeral Home for James Seabaugh, 29, who died Saturday, will be Max Bannister, Charles Rudisill, Robert Smith, George Rucker, Glen Manning and Jimmie Manning.

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FOR THE HOME FREEZER
1/2 SIZE DRESSED
CALL 471-3814 AFTER 7 PM

Rep. Cline will release annual survey of voters on Feb. 9

JEFFERSON CITY — Rep. C. F. Cline, D-Clines Island today announced that his annual survey of the voters is nearing completion and will be released. The survey, which asks for voter opinion on 20 issues coming before the Missouri General Assembly this session, will be printed in The Daily Standard and other area newspapers.

Cline urges every voter in the 159th District to watch for the survey, state a preference on

each issue and return the entire survey for statistical compilation.

Anyone in the 159th District, who does not receive or have access to one of the four newspapers in the district, should write to Rep. C. F. Cline, Room 412A, State Capitol, Jefferson City, Mo. 65101, for a copy of the survey.

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Additional Daily Record

CIRCUIT COURT

BLOOMFIELD — Criminal cases heard before Judge Flake McNamee in Stoddard County Circuit Court recently include:

In a change of venue case from Dunklin County, Kenny Smith, breaking jail, pleaded not guilty.

A jury found Kenny Smith guilty of breaking jail. Sentencing was postponed until Feb. 8.

Timothy R. Holder, possession of controlled substance, was granted a change of venue to Dunklin County and trial was set for April 15.

Joe Lance, armed robbery of a car, credit cards, money, identification papers and clock radio from Glen and Sophia Harrison in Dudley on June 18, 1975, attorney appointed and trial set for Feb. 18.

Mike Becker, accused of breaking into home owned by Bruce Zimmerman Dec. 7, 1976 in Bernie and stealing \$150 and breaking into a house owned by Billie Caudill Oct. 9, 1976, and stealing \$50, attorney appointed and case continued to Feb. 16.

Bobby Lovette, burglary and stealing, was sentenced to three years in custody of the Department of Corrections for burglary and three years for stealing, with the terms to run concurrently.

In another change of venue case from Dunklin County, W. L. Hickson withdrew a plea of not guilty to exhibiting a deadly weapon and his case was referred to a probation and parole officer for presentence investigation and returned to court on Feb. 14.

Tony Malin, felonious possession of marijuanna, sentenced to three years in custody of the Department of Corrections.

Joseph Mitchell Flannery, charged with breaking into property owned by Dr. F.O. Kelley May 11, 1976 in Bernie and stealing medical supplies, withdrew plea of

not guilty and the case was continued to Feb. 8.

LIVESTOCK

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, III. (AP) — Hogs 5,500 head. Butchers 74-150 lower. Sows steady to 50 higher. 1-3 butchers 200-250 lbs 41.00-41.25.

36.00-36.50. Cattle 1,800 head. Slaughter steers steady to 50 lower. Slaughter heifers steady to weak. Cows fully steady.

Good and choice yield grade 2-4 slaughter steers 37.00-38.25.

Good and choice yield grade 2-4 slaughter heifers 35.00-36.50.

Utility and commercial cows 16.50-23.00. Canner and cutter 28.00-24.00.

Sheep 300 head. Slaughter lambs firm to 1.00 higher.

Spring slaughter lambs choice and prime 102 lbs 54.00.

Estimated receipts for Wednesday: 5,500 hogs, 800 cattle and 100 sheep.

GRAIN MARKET

CHICAGO (AP) — Wheat and soybean futures prices were mixed in early dealings on the

Chicago Board of Trade today, while corn prices were lower.

Oats were a shade higher.

On the opening, soybeans were 2 cents a bushel lower to 2 higher, March 7.22; wheat was 1/4 lower to 1/2 higher, March 2.73; corn was 1/4 to 1/2 lower, March 2.53; and oats were 1/2 to 1/2 higher, March 1.82.

CITY COURT

NEW MADRID — Tim Dooley of New Madrid failed to appear in court Monday on a peace disturbance charge and Judge G.G. Dawson ordered a \$15 bond for Dooley.

Colin Hawkins, Mathews Route One, reported the theft from his truck while it was parked at 849 Ruth St.

The tire was valued at \$75 and the rim at \$33.

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Ask a number of people.

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The World's first agricultural experimental station was founded at Rothamsted, England, by John Lawes in 1843.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of Adjustment of the City of Sikeston, is scheduled for Thursday, February 10, 1977 at 4:30 P.M. in the Council Chambers of the City Administration Building, 215 North New Madrid, Sikeston, Missouri to consider the following requests:

(1) Floodway variance to construct mobile home pads on lots 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32 of Block 2 of Parker Sharp Addition to the City of Sikeston.

(2) Extension of time limit on request granting Mr. W. A. Garner a temporary usage variance allowing a mobile home to be placed in an "A" Single Family Zoning.

S. Lynn Lancaster
City Clerk
City of Sikeston, Missouri

NOTICE OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED

(Sec. 473.033, RSMo. as amended 1969.)

State of Missouri, ss.)

County of Scott, In the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri

In the estate of Pearson Spencer Meador Deceased.)

Estate No. 4689 To all persons interested in the estate of Pearson Spencer Meador,

NOTICE OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY GRANTED

(Sec. 473.033, RSMo. as amended 1969.)

STATE OF MISSOURI ss.)

COUNTY OF SCOTT In the PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI AT BENTON, MISSOURI

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facts as well. Since supply has finally caught up with demand, there is less mobility for faculty members and the salaries generally increase less than the cost of living.

Other trends are also affecting the colleges and universities across the country, the SeMo State president stated.

There is now a trend to more centralization; no longer does each school make its own decisions, as in the past, and there are now a greater number of statewide boards.

Even so, Southeast Missouri is in sound financial condition, and it is an institution serving not just Cape Girardeau, but the entire area, and this is a trend that is expected to continue, Leestamper said.

He expects the university to continue as an undergraduate base, but offering in the future more graduate programs and continuing education for professional groups.

The university will increasingly be a regional library service, will provide more in the area of regional computer service, a museum on campus is a regional museum and it will provide more regional agricultural services.

It is also expected to provide more consulting services for small businesses, do more work with local health organizations, expand their regional film center and continue with the regional crime laboratory. In conclusion, he compared the higher educational systems to businesses, pointing out similarities to the businessmen in the audience.

Bids are being received until 4:00 o'clock C.S.T., March 8, 1977, at the office of the Housing Authority of the City of Sikeston, 400 Allen Blvd., for trash pickup throughout the project sites.

Bid forms and specifications may be picked up at the above address.

B. C. Hanna
Executive Director
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In the estate of Mina C. Smith a-k-a Mrs. James T. Smith, deceased.)

Estate No. 4741 To all persons interested in the estate of Mina C. Smith a-k-a Mrs. James T. Smith, deceased:

On the 20th day of January, 1977, the last Will of Mina C. Smith a-k-a Mrs. James T. Smith was admitted to probate and Fielding

deceased.)

Merchants invite you

to watch Wednesday's paper, Feb. 2 for a

message that will be positively

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what the weather is outside.

REMEMBER-WATCH

WEDNESDAY'S PAPER

FEBRUARY 2nd



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Burial arrangements are incomplete.

Anna B. Tally

CHAFFEE--Mrs. Anna Belle Tally, 90, died at 5:15 p.m. Monday in Cape La Croix Manor in Cape Girardeau, where she had been admitted about five weeks ago.

She was born Sept. 25, 1886 at Des Arc to the late Clay and Fronna Jane Clifton Semands.

In 1908, she married Emory E. Tally of Greenville, who died Oct. 6, 1949. The family had moved to Chaffee in 1913. Also preceding her in death was a son, Melvin V. Tally, who died Jan. 9, 1966.

She was a member of First Baptist Church; Order of the Eastern Star Chapter No. 48 and Past Matrons Club; Ladies Auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, of which she was a past president; Ladies Auxiliary of the United Transportation Union; Royal Neighbors and Ladies Auxiliary of Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 3127.

Surviving are: two sons, Carl F. and William E. Tally of Chaffee; one sister, Mrs. Nell Coffey of Union; and four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Friends may call after 6:30 p.m. today at Amick-Burnett Funeral Chapel, where Eastern Star rites will be conducted at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday by OES Chapter No. 48.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Thursday in the funeral chapel with the Rev. R. L. Robinson, pastor of First Baptist Church in East Prairie, officiating.

Burial will follow in Memorial Park Cemetery at Cape Girardeau.

Agnes Raffety

KILLEEN, TEX. — Mrs. Agnes Raffety, 80, formerly of Chaffee, Mo., died at 1:30 a.m. Monday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. John Vowels, with whom she had lived since 1970.

She was born Oct. 5, 1896.

On Feb. 12, 1914, she married Finley S. Raffety, who died March 22, 1969.

Mr. and Mrs. Raffety owned and operated a grocery store in Chaffee for many years, and she was a member of First Baptist Church in Chaffee.

In addition to Mrs. Vowels, survivors include: another daughter, Mrs. John Kasonic of Conoga Park, Calif.; one son, Paul B. Raffety of Dalles; and 10 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Following services conducted at 10 a.m. today in Crawford & Bowers Funeral Home in Killeen, the body is being moved to Amick-Burnett Funeral Chapel in Chaffee, where friends may call after 10 a.m. Wednesday and a prayer service will be conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday by the Rev. Paul Weber, pastor of First Baptist Church in Chaffee.

Burial will follow in Union Park Cemetery at Chaffee.

James Seabaugh

EAST PRAIRIE — Pallbearers at services scheduled at 12 p.m. Wednesday in Shelby Funeral Home for James Seabaugh, 29, who died Saturday, will be Max Bannister, Charles Rudisill, Robert Smith, George Rucker, Glen Manning and Jimmie Manning.

Alice O'Reilly

CHARLESTON -- Mrs. Alice O'Reilly, 69, died at 1:20 a.m. today in Missouri Delta Community Hospital at Sikeston.

McMikle Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements, which are incomplete.

Jasper Jarrett

PORTEGEVILLE

Graveside rites for Jasper Jarrett, 27, of Chicago, who died Jan. 24 following an extended illness, were conducted at noon today in Portageville Cemetery.

He was born July 16, 1949 in Henning, Tenn., son of the late Cleophor and Dora Jarrett.

Survivors include: his widow, Nadine Jarrett of Chicago; one stepson, Alonzo Davis of Chicago; grandmothers, Lila Jarrett Cunningham and Elizabeth Moses, addresses unavailable; and grandfather, George Moses, address unavailable.

Friends may call after 2 p.m. Wednesday in Chiles-Cooper Funeral Home at Bloomfield, where services are scheduled at 1 p.m. Thursday with the Rev. Stanley Land, pastor of First Christian Church in Dexter, officiating.

Burial arrangements are incomplete.

Martha Tarpley

MOREHOUSE -- Mrs. Martha Averil Tarpley, 74, died Monday in Missouri Delta Community Hospital at Sikeston.

She was born Oct. 19, 1902 at Rombauer daughter of the late Samuel and Nancy McCoy Wright, where she lived until moving to Morehouse in 1957.

On Nov. 7, 1957, she married Harley Tarpley, who died Sept. 13, 1969.

Survivors include: one daughter, Mrs. Reva Linville of Campbell; two stepsons, Lawrence Tarpley of Billerica, Mass., and Donald A. Tarpley of Tlyphanna, Pa.; one brother, Nathan Wright of Poplar Bluff; two sisters, Mrs. Alice Plush of Thedalia, Ore., and Mrs. Gertrude Hinkle of Festus; and four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Friends may call after 4 p.m. today at Watkins & Sons Funeral Home in Dexter, where services are scheduled at 1 p.m. Wednesday. The Revs. Roy McAnulty of Morehouse and Joe Williams of Campbell will officiate.

Burial will follow in Woodland Cemetery at Campbell.

Talent audition set for CP

CAPE GIRARDEAU — Telethon Chairman Earl W. James has announced talent auditions for the seventh annual Celebrity Telethon for Cerebral Palsy.

The auditions will be held Saturday at the KFVS-TV studios and Sunday at Lawson Hall, Room 131, on the Southern Illinois University campus in Carbondale, Ill.

Appointments must be made by persons interested in auditioning either at Cape Girardeau or Carbondale. The telephone number to call from 9 a.m. to 5 is 334-0596.

The entertainment chairman is Bill Ewing, who notes that all types of performers are being sought.

The Celebrity Telethon will be seen Feb. 19 and 20, live and in color on Channel 12, direct from the KFVS-TV studios, featuring nightclub and recording star Johnny Tillotson as master of ceremonies along with an array of other celebrities.

Burger radios too much alike

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — A firm that makes cheeseburger-shaped radios decided to make it a federal case when a rival firm started selling hamburger-shaped radios in the same packaging.

After a hearing before U.S. District Court Judge Charles Weiner on Monday, Windsor Industries of Melville, N.Y., agreed to stop boxing its hamburger radio in yellow and orange and to remove a cheeseburger picture from the box.

Amico, Inc., of Philadelphia, which makes cheeseburger radios, had complained in a suit that Windsor was trying to steal its business by duplicating its packaging.

Hubcaps taken

DEXTER -- A set of wire-rimmed hubcaps valued at \$300 was reported stolen from Evans Buick sometime Monday night, police announced today.

The hubcaps were taken from a car parked on the lot.

CORN FED BEEF

FOR THE HOME FREEZER
1/2 SIZE DRESSED
CALL 471-3614 AFTER 7 PM

Rep. Cline will release annual survey of voters on Feb. 9

JEFFERSON CITY -- Rep. C. F. Cline, D-Clines Island today announced that his annual survey of the voters is nearing completion and will be released.

The survey, which asks for voter opinion on 20 issues coming before the Missouri General Assembly this session, will be printed in The Daily Standard and other area newspapers.

Cline said the high cost of postage has made it impossible to mail the questionnaire to all registered voters in the 159th District. He added that he believes a survey conducted through the newspaper is the only economical method available this year.

Cline urges every voter in the 159th District to watch for the survey, state a preference on

each issue and return the entire survey for statistical compilation.

Anyone in the 159th District, who does not receive or have access to one of the four newspapers in the district, should write to Rep. C. F. Cline, Room 412A, State Capitol, Jefferson City, Mo. 65101, for a copy of the survey.

through additional taxes.

Days missed due to bad weather were discussed, but no decision was made about when the days missed will be made up.

School administrators for the 1977-78 school year were rehired, including Clyde Dixon, elementary principal; Carrell Odum, high school principal; and Lawrence superintendent.

Lawrence reported that the Richland R-1 School District has received its annual evaluation from the State Department of Education. "We have received our best evaluation ever."

He said the schools have one

Public Notice

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of Adjustment of the City of Sikeston, is scheduled for Thursday, February 10, 1977 at 4:30 P.M. in the Council Chambers of the City Administration Building, 215 North New Madrid Street, Sikeston, Missouri to consider the following requests:

(1) Floodway variance to construct mobile home pads on Lots 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32 of Block 6 of Felker Sharp Addition to the City of Sikeston.

(2) Extension of time limit on request granting Mr. W. A. Garner a temporary usage variance allowing a mobile home to be placed in an "A" Single Family Zoning.

S. Lynn Lancaster
City Clerk
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County of Scott,)
in the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri
in the estate of)
Pearson Spencer Meador,)
Deceased.)
Estate No. 4699
To all persons interested in the estate of Pearson Spencer Meador,

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Estate No. 4741

To all persons interested in the estate of Mina C. Smith a-k-a Mrs. James T. Smith, deceased.

On the 20th day of January, 1977, the last Will of Mina C. Smith, a-k-a Mrs. James T. Smith, was admitted to probate and Fielding

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Tony Malin, felonious possession of marijuanna, sentenced to three years in custody of the Department of Corrections.

Joseph Mitchell, Flannery, charged with breaking into property owned by Dr. F.O. Kelley

May 11, 1976 in Bernie and stealing medical supplies, withdrew plea of

Potashnick was appointed the executor of the estate of Mina C. Smith a-k-a Mrs. James T. Smith, deceased, by the probate court of Scott County, Missouri, on the 20th day of January, 1977. The business address of the executor is 310 E. Center, Sikeston, Missouri, whose telephone number is 471-5060 and his attorney is Roy F. Hough whose business address is 310 E. Center, Sikeston, Missouri, and whose telephone number is 471-5334.

All creditors of said decedent are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein.

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Almareta Huber
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The World's first agricultural experimental station was founded at Rothamsted, England, by John Lawes in 1843.

PUBLIC NOTICE

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Request to rezone from "A" Single Family to "D" Commercial — All of lots numbered 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14, Anderson Subdivision.

S. Lynn Lancaster
City Clerk
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Bids are being received until 4:00 o'clock C.S.T., March 8, 1977, at the office of the Housing Authority of the City of Sikeston, 400 Allen Blvd., for trash pickup throughout the project sites.

Bid forms and specifications may be picked up at the above address.

B. C. Hanna
Executive Director

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